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The merits of Congregationalism were tested, and the power of spiritualizing. The grace of God is not in a single life, which, instead of adapting to the outward shape, conforms itself to it.

As the solid bones of the head fit themselves to the conformation of the soft brain, so the solid forms of our religion should take their form from the animating and assimilating spirit.

And resuming the figure, when the brain is so the skull, which yet long retains its shape after the other has disappeared. Even so the forms of religion dead and defiled, its life and spirit are departed.

We regret the want of space to follow the illustrations of this many pertinent and striking allusion of this part of his subject; especially as he dwelt upon the republican tendencies of congregationalism—is fitness to enlarge the







